

Assembly

Record of Committee Proceedings

Committee on Education

Assembly Bill 617

Relating to: directing the Department of Public Instruction to establish model academic standards and granting rule-making authority.

By Representatives Knudson, Kestell, Thiesfeldt, Steineke, Pridemore, T. Larson, Schraa, Bernier, Born, Jacque, Jagler, Kleefisch, LeMahieu, Murtha, Severson, Spiros, Tittl, Marklein, A. Ott, Ripp and Bies; cosponsored by Senator Grothman.

January 10, 2014 Referred to Committee on Education

January 15, 2014 **Public Hearing Held**

Present: (11) Representative Kestell; Representatives Jagler, Nass, Pridemore, Marklein, Thiesfeldt, Rodriguez, Pope, Clark, Wright and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

Appearances For

- Dean Knudson - Representative - 30th Assembly District
- Julaine Appling - WI Family Action
- Jim Scott
- Kim Simac - Concerned Women for America of Wisconsin

Appearances Against

- Sheila Briggs - Department of Public Instruction
- JoAnn Sternke - Pewaukee School District
- Shakia Turner

Appearances for Information Only

- Bill Elmhorst
- Brian Vissers - West Allis-West Milwaukee School District

Registrations For

- Jim Bender - School Choice WI
- Matt Kussow - WI Council of Religious and Independent Schools

Registrations Against

- John Jagler - Representative - 37th Assembly District
- Dan Rossmiller - Wisconsin Association of School Boards
- Kirsten Lombard - The WI 9/12 Project

Registrations for Information Only

- None.

February 20, 2014

Executive Session Held

Present: (11) Representative Kestell; Representatives Jagler, Nass, Pridemore, Marklein, Thiesfeldt, Rodriguez, Pope, Clark, Wright and Hesselbein.

Absent: (0) None.

Excused: (0) None.

April 08, 2014

Failed to pass pursuant to Senate Joint Resolution 1

Chris Kulow
Committee Clerk